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## COMMENTS

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"Method of Treating Ceramic Surfaces"

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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on December 1, 2004, Applicants submit the following.

The Examiner has required restriction among the following claims:

Group I, claims 45-48, drawn to a ceramic material; and

Group II, claims 49-52, drawn to a holder.

Applicants elect Group I, claims 45-48, drawn to a ceramic material.

Respectfully submitted,

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